## LAST SOUND OF THE GAVEL

· Longest Legislative Term in History of Connecticut Comes to an End

## FAREWELL ADDRESS OF GOV. WEEKS

Senate Had Quantity of Business to Dispose Of on the Last Day-Merry Making in the House-Presentation of Gifts to Officers in Both Branches-Chief Executive Refers to Death of Governor Lilley.

An act relating to the messengers of the court of common pleas of Hart-ford county was passed by the sen-

with the house several other measures of minor importance, the senate rejected two resolutions providing for extra compensation for capitol employes, and recessed until 1.45, having

completed all of its business. The house will be ready to meet the senate in joint assembly at that hour.

Afternoon Business.

Hartford, Conn., Aug. 24.-The after

the house to Speaker Banks and he was presented with a handsome gold watch and foh. Mr. Burnes, who made

the presentation, said among other things that it had been a long session —ninety-eight days—and equals the

Resolutions were passed thanking the messengers and doorkeepers.

mittee was received from the house

"GOT THE DROP" ON "BAD MAN."

Had Threatened to Kill Him.

Price, Utah, Aug. 24.—C. L. Maxwell, known as "Gun Play" Maxwell, was shot and instantly killed by Sheriff Ed.

WATCHING FOR HALLEY'S COMET

Lick Astronomers Expect First Sight of

It in Seventy-Five Years.

Lick Observatory, Mount Hamilton Cal., Aug. 24.—Keen rivalry has de-

veloped among the astronomers of the world, and all through the night every

heavens to gain the first sight of the returning Halley's comet.

Owing to the high power "comet-seeking" glasses on Mount Hamilton, the Lick astronomers expect to announce the return of Halley's comet

after its seventy-five years' absence from the solar system.

No Danger of Serious Trouble in Mexico.

Washington, Aug. 24.—David E. Thompson, the United States ambassador to Mexico, has telegraphed the state department that there is no danger of serious trouble in Mexico. He says the elements of disorder are practically confined to the northern states and that the Mexican government is fully orepared to take care of any

fully prepared to take care of any condition that may arise. He adds that no hurt can come to any foreign

Physician Commits Suicide.

Country.

available telescope is sweeping the

a year ago.

Hartford, Conn., August 24.—The special assembly of 1909 passed into distory today when its sittings, which legan last January were closed at alf past three this afternoon with the half past three this afternoon with the final tap of the gavel. A busy day for the senate, which had a quantity of business to dispose of, a period of merrymaking for the house with a little business transacted, marked the morning session of the bodies, while in the afternoon presentations of gifts to could issue 75 per cent. bonds of the property. the afternoon presentations of gifts to various officers in both branches, the farewell address of the governor and the formal adjournment of the general assembly by the secretary of state took place.

After the senate and house had a damages.

After the senate and house had com-eted its work in the morning, recess was taken and after recess commit-tees from each body waited on the other after which both branches met in joint convention. A committee consisting of Senator Fean and Representatives Burnes and Higgins then waited upon the governor, who soon entered the hall of representatives with the state officers, where the house and senate were sitting jointly.

### Address by Gov. Weeks. In his address Governor Weeks said: "Mr. President, Mr. Speaker and you

comes the duty of the executive to dis-solve the 1909 session of the general assembly and to address a few partng words to its members. On the 6th f January last, it was my privilege as lieutenant governor to preside over the first joint convention of this hon-orable body, which was convened for the purpose of inaugurating as "overnor in the person of George Leavens Lilley. You recall the earnest and manly way in which he delivered his inaugural message, a document freighted with sound common sense that he believed if enacted into law ld prove a blessing to the people

But, alas, on the very threshold of administration he was called by that higher power from his earthly cares and labors, and the members of of his energetic leadership e counsel, a fact which I am deeply regretted by us all death has much to do with sim who does his duty. Rather it lownright hard, exacting mental removes only to him who has had duties to perform. We all are to error and mistakes in judgard undoubtedly many of us have led into those tasks. n wealth is no easy task, especially him who does his duty. Rather it downright hard, exacting mental been led into those tasks some time

turn to your constituents with the consciousness that your aims and purposes were ever directed toward those measures that in your judgment would tend to promote the happiness and prosperity of all our people and I trust that the laws added to our statute books will justify their enactment. I congratulate you upon the property of the senate would see the property of the senate would see the senate would s press my thanks for the unvarying kindnesses you have shown me and as you return home I beg that each and

Assembly." The governor then turned to Secre-tary of State Matthew H. Rogers and "Mr. Secretary, you may now ad-journ the general assembly," Secretary Rogers thereupon proclaimed the general assembly adjourn

"The general assembly is now ad-journed. God save the state of Con-necticut." A final tap of the gavel ended the

### THE CLOSING HOURS.

Automobile Bill to Take Effect Sept. First Next-Other Measures Passed. Hartford, Aug. 24.—Both branches of the general assembly met promptly to-day, prepared to wind up the longest legislative term in the history of the

enate was the resolution naming to-day as the day for final adjournment. This was quickly transmitted to the house under a suspension of the rules and that body immediately concurred. The senate rejected, upon the unfa-vorable report of the railroad commit-tes bills providing for five cent trailtee, bills providing for five cent trolley fares between Naugatuck and Waterbury and Hartford and Rocky Hill. Senator Bowen, chairman of the railroad committee, explained that in both cases satisfactory negotiations had been completed between the railroad tuberculosis commission and referred it to the secretary of state. The re-port of the special commission ap-pointed two years ago to investigate the specially chartered corporation of

The substitute for the present pri-mary law was amended to take effect Jan. 1, 1910, and was passed. The sen-ate concurred with the house in reexcepted, of certificates by the state board of education. The dental bill, which has been loaded down with

which has been loaded down with amendments in both houses, was indefinitely postponed. Senator Manwarring said that one of the most emfinent of Connecticut's dentists assured him that the present law was one of the best in the country.

The senate passed the resolution in concurrence with the house appropriating \$724.06 expenses for the special commission appointed by the speaker of the house and the president of the senate on the public utilities question. Of this sum, \$601 is for stenographic

# Cabled Paragraphs

Lucca, Italy, Aug. 24.—The village church at Gello, a neighboring hamlet was struck by lightning today. The roof of the building collapsed, killing two of the worshippers within and injuring fifteen others.

Antwerp, Aug. 24.—The steamship Singapore arrived here today from Riga. Russia. with five of her crew dead, presumably from cholera. The news has caused much apprehension. The Singapore has been placed in quarantine.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 24.—There were twenty-nine new cases of cholera and twelve deaths from the disease in the twenty-four hours ended at noon today. The prefect of St. Petersburg has fined many householders and merchants because of the unsanitary condition of their properties.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 24.—Grank Duke Cyril, eldest son of the late Grand Duke Vladimir, enters the Russian navy with his appointment today as second officer in command of the cruiser Oleg. He will be given a sep-arate command after he has undergone period of training.

THE MARBLE HOUSE. markable Gathering at Mrs. O. H. P.

Newport, R. I., Aug. 24.—Unique among the varied events and happenings which have marked Newport's summer resort life of many years was the meeting today at Marble house, Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont's magnificent summer home, in the interests of "Votes for Women."

The meeting, which was under the auspices of the National Woman Suffers a suspeciation, was held beneath a

of whom about 250 were women and about 150 men, were Rev. Dr. Anna H. Shew, president of the national association, Mrs. Julia Ward Howe, Mrs. Belmont and Mayor P. J. Boyle of this city. Mayor Boyle also acted as chairman. It was estimated that the receipts from the sale of tickets and souvenir cards aggregated nearly \$1,500. This money will be paid into the treasury of the national association. Admission to the house was separate from attendance at the lecture. For the privileges of the mansion, together noon was taken up principally with presentation speeches. Resolutions were passed extending the thanks of the privileges of the mansion, together with admission to the tent, \$5 was harged; to the former alone the fee

ninety-eight days—and equals the record made two years ago. Speaker Banks replied briefly but with much feeling and said that it was a very refreshing thought to him that although he had been compelled to make more rulings than any other speaker for many years that no appeal had been taken from any of his rulings made as they were upon the spur of the moment. He had since found, though, by reference to the books, that some of his rulings had been wrong. He was also presented with the block and gavel used throughout the session.

Presentations of a diamond ring to who gathered here today there was accorded the honor of being the first persons, aside from servants and a few immediate members of the family, to enter Marbie house in fourteen years. It was in 1895, on the occasion of a ball announcing the engagement of Miss Conseulo Vanderbilt to the Duke of Marlboro, that the last assemblage maturally the areast mansion. met under the great mansion.

## Presentations of a diamond ring to Clerk Blodgett and a chain and charm to Assistant Clerk Sabin Russell, a loving cup to Chaplain Countryman, a gold watch to House Leader Burnes, and a loving cup to Representative Higgins of Winchester were also made. AT GRADE CROSSING, FAIRFIELD Man Believed to Be Edward Perry of

Westerly. Fairfield, Conn., August 24.—A man believed to be Edward Perry of 75 Mechanic street, Westerly, R. I., was instantly killed while walking on the railroad track at Lockwoods Crossing. and also presented with the block and gavel used in the senate and with his chair.

Chaplain Sexton was presented with Clerk John A. Spafford a gold watch Clerk John A. Spafford a death of the gold wa The victim was about 25 years of age. Medical Examiner W. H. Donaldson viewed the remains and gave permis-sion for their removal. He was un-

successful in getting into communica-tion with the Westerly authorities to-night to inform them of the fatality and notify the man's relatives and will make another effort tomorrow. In the pockets of the clothing on the body was found a letter addresse Edward Perry with the street r tioned and his hat was marked ward Perry." He was about 25 years of age, were a gray suit of clothes, no underclothing, tanned shoes of good material, blue stockings. The man was five feet six inches in height. weighed about 140 pounds, was smooth face and had dark hair and gray eyes.

### IN PREHISTORIC DAYS Relics and Skeletons Discovered Johnson on the street here last night. Maxwell, who had a wide reputation as a "bad man," came to Price with the avowed intention of settling an account with Johnson which grew out of his arrest by that officer at Goldfield, Nev., a year are. Northwestern North America.

Port Townsend, August 24. News is brought by the United States revenue cutter Tahoma, which reached Puget sound today, that a party of ethnolo-gists, headed by Dr. Waldemar Yochela year ago.

Johnson was the quicker and Maxwell fell with two bullets in his body before he could draw his pistol.

Maxwell was born in Massachusetts and it is believed that his real name is Bliss. His penchant for "shooting up" small fowns earned him the nickon, a Russian explorer, who were en-countered at the Island of Attu, in the Alcutian archipelago, have discovered relics and skeletons that would establish that northwestern North America was populated in prehistoric ages.

Dr. Yochelson told Capt Queenan of the Tahoma of relics discovered which would establish that thousands of

years ago the highest type of humanity in the new word existed in the north. The search of the party is directed by the Royal Russian Geographical so-ciety, and will be continued several years before a formal report is made

in St. Petersburg.
Report is also brought that the Bogoslov Islands in Bering sea, the field
of numerous charges through volcanic
eruptions, are now undergoing further marked configurations.

### VISIT TO CRIMEA POSTPONED. Repairs to Imperial Yacht Delay Emperor Nicholas' Departure.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 24.—The departure of Emperor Nicholas for the Crimea, which was planned for Sept. 6, will be delayed for one week, owing to the necessity of making some repairs to the screw of the imperial yacht Standart. This will be done in France

Livadia on the Standart.

### SHOT DEAD AND BODY BURNED. Half Crazed with Drink Negro was

Monroe, La. August 24.—Half-crazed ed. either by whiskey or cocaine, Bill whend, with 2,202 points to her credit, and Massachusetts record four points behind the Jack Tar team.

Way, a negro from Hineville, Ark, dashed down the main street of Monroe today with a double-harrelled shot. dashed down the main street of Monroe today with a double-berrelled shotgun, firing in every direction. Men
returned the fire, and he finally fell
dead, after receiving a score or more
of wounds. Twenty-one people were
injured in the fight.

When Way fell his body was dragged
into the street, and then was taken-to
a public square where it was burned
in the presence of several thousand
people.

### Not a Shot Heard Sky Pilots No Arrest Made Display Prowess

A TRUCE IN HOSTILITIES

unerals of Victims of Sunday Night's

Pittsburg, Aug. 24.—The village cKees Bocks was in the "slough espond" loday. Long funeral processions, pitiful in their attempt at pro-

sions, pitiful in their attempt at proper decorum, made their way at odd hours from the Greek Catholic church to St. Mary's cemetery, a small burying plot just catside of Schoenville. Strikers and their families crowded in the van of these funeral trains dressed in their finery and bearing an air of deep grief. One band of eight musicians furnished tupes to which the strikers tramped in dust and grime to pay their respects to the men they look upon as martyrs to a now lost cause.

A Horrifying Feature.

Hostilities Suspended

With the burial of the dead striker

and the finding of the additional bodies

o nightfall not a pistol shot was heard

selves and even gave up a mass meet-ing planned for the late afternoon, as they believed any gathering of the workmen could do no good at this

Strikers Have Lost.

Eugene V. Debs, the socialist orator, was in McKees Rocks to address the strikers, but even he declared that words were of little avail now, as the riots of Sunday night had for once and

all placed the strikers in the position of outcasts whose cause was all but

And on every hand tonight it is conceded that the strikers have lost theifight. The Pressed Steel Car com

nen, turned out three steel cars which were placed on view just outside th

Martial Law Continues.

Total Deaths Eleven.

car company stockde

AGED SOUTHINGTON MAN

Found Unconscious in His Kitchen

deep gash on his forehead and another on his chin. Nothing in the house had been dis-

MISSIONARY STEAMSHIP LOST.

Death of Master of the Hiram Bing-

ham Also Reported.

cean Island, one of the Gilbert group.

Special Duty for Rear Admiral Sperry

Martial law was continued in the

neither was an arrest made. The striking men and their sympo thizers during the day kept to then

NORWICH, CONN., WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 25, 1909.

QUIET REIGNED FROM DAWN TO NIGHTFALL. PRESIDENT OF FRANCE.

### PAULHAM'S MANGEUVRES

Spectators with Awe-A Doxen Machines Brought Out-High Wind.

Betheny Aviation Field, Rheims, August 24.—A marvelous high flight of 36 kilometers (18.1-2 miles) at a great height and in a twenty knot breeze by Paulham and a new world's record for kilometres, at the rate of 74,318 metres (46 miles) an hour by Bleriot were the features of the aerial race

Distinguished Spectator. Owing to the high wind there probably would have been no flights except for the visit this afternoon of President Failleres and the members of his cabinet. The president was accompanied also by distinguished officers of the French and British armies. His presence stimulated the sky pilots to a display of prowess, and a dozen machines were brought out on the field but a majerity of them were unable to battle against the wind for more than a few hundred metres.

Thrilling Flight by Paulham. Young Bunau-Varilla however, with Young Bunau-Varilla however, with his machine reeling and plunging like a ship in a stormy sea, managed to navigate the turbulent air currents for one round. Then Paulham, who already had won a reputation for courage and endurance, began his thrilling flight. He made the first two rounds at an altitude of 250 feet, but ascending in front of the tribunes as he entered the third circuit he reached a tered the third circuit he reached height of between 400 and 500 fee The spectators gazed aloft in admira-tion and as they watched the bi-plane struck what seemed a dangerous angle. The machine swayed in the wind but each time righted itself. Paulham completed his daring exploit with a wonderful exhibition of manoeuvring, and the vast crowds heaved a sigh of relief when he landed. Paulham's achievement has made him the un-rivalled hero of the meeting. Paulham had nothing to gain by the risks he took today as his flight,

was not counted in the endurance test and it is probable that a much higher rate of speed than that made by Paaulnam in the wind today will be reached by the contestants in the Prix De La Vitesse, Paulham's time today was six minutes slower than that of yes-terday for thirty kilometres.

Bleriot Beats Curtiss' Record. Bleriot Beats Curtiss Record.

Bleriot's record making lap was accomplished with his 80-horsepower machine at a low level. He made the creair of six and a fifth miles in 8 minutes, 4 2-5 seconds. The best previous record was made yesterday by Glenn H. Curtiss, the American, 8 minutes, 35 2-5 seconds.

Latham put two nachines out of commission in an attempt to start. Finally, just at dusk, he got away and made a superp flight of three rounds.

made a superh flight of three mane a superb flight of three rounds at an average height of 196 feet.

The management of the Wright machines declined to take any chances, explaining that they had nothing at stake, as these machines are at present classified as first, second and third in the Prix De La Vitesse.

### NARROW ESCAPE OF Capt. Rott Declares It was the Closest Call He Ever Had.

New York, August 24.-Captain Rott and passengers arriving today on the steamer Grosser Kurfurst told a thrill-ing store of how the big liner narrowly averted a head-on collision with another big steamer whose name was unknown while off the banks of Newfoundland on the night of August 20. flicted, it is thought, by a robber, Wilter a robber of the agreement regarding the Anticlock, and many passengers were pacing the promenade deck when a neighbors of the assault that had been the robber of the agreement regarding the Anticlock, and many passengers were pacing the promenade deck when a neighbors of the assault that had been the robber of the agreement regarding the Anticlock, and many passengers were pacing the promenade deck when a neighbors of the assault that had been the robber of the agreement regarding the Anticlock, and many passengers were pacing the promenade deck when a neighbors of the assault that had been the robber of the agreement regarding the Anticlock, and many passengers were pacing the promenade deck when a neighbor of the agreement regarding the Anticlock and many passengers were pacing the promenade deck when a neighbor of the agreement regarding the Anticlock and many passengers were pacing the promenade deck when a neighbor of the agreement regarding the Anticlock and many passengers were pacing the promenade deck when a neighbor of the agreement regarding the promenade deck when a neighbor of the agreement regarding the promenade deck when a neighbor of the agreement regarding the promenade deck when a neighbor of the agreement regarding the promenade deck when a neighbor of the agreement regarding the promenade deck when a neighbor of the agreement regarding the promenade deck when a neighbor of the agreement regarding the promenade deck when a neighbor of the agreement regarding the promenade deck when a neighbor of the agreement regarding the promenade deck when a neighbor of the agreement regarding the promenade deck when a neighbor of the agreement regarding the promenade deck when a neighbor of the agreement regarding the promenade deck when a neighbor of the agreement regarding the promenade deck when a neighbor of the agreement regarding the promenade deck when a neighbor of the agreement regarding the promenade deck when a ne o'clock, and many passengers were pacing the promenade deck when a thick pall of feg suddenly settled over the water and a few minutes later the outline of a large steamer loomed scarcely 100 yards shead. "I gave orders for full speed astern,"

made upon him.

Mr. Tolles lives with his son-in-law Charles Tuttle, who with his family are away for the summer. Last night Mr. Tolles returned to the house shortly after 9 o'clock and went to his room. Before retiring he went down states to the kitchen for a daily "I gave orders for full speed astern," Captain Rott said, "and as I did so I saw the lights of the big liner bearing down upon us. In less time than it takes to tell it the big ship—ided by us and so closely that I could hear the officer on the bridge shouting his orders. The fog was so dense that it was impossible for me to make out the funnels of the stranger or in any other way to identity her, but I do know it an open window, who on entering the large was carrying the extra transfer of the stranger or in any other way to identity her, but I do know it an open window, who on entering the large was carrying the extra transfer of the stranger or in any other way to identity her, but I do know it an open window, who on entering the large was carrying the extra transfer or the light of th

New Haven. Conn. Aug. 24.—The police tonight placed Abraham and Solomon Gordon of Rochester, N. Y., under arrest on suspicion of being implicated in recent burglaries here in the city and put them under \$5.000 bonds each. When searched jewelry to the value of a thousand dollars was found in their possession. They are also suspected of having entered several houses in Hartford. The men were formerly junk desiers in Rochester.

Broke Femurs of Both Legs. Yonkers, N. Y., Afig. 24.—In a most unusual accident here today, Frederick Stackholm, 65 years old, an engineer in the employ of the Otis Elevator company, broke the femurs of both legs. He was leaning on a table when his hand slipped and the sudden temples are successful to his hand slipped, and the sudden ten-sion of the muscles of the hips and thighs, as they jumped automatically to bring the body into balance, snap-

Standart. This will be done in France on the yacht's trip from the Baltic to the Black sea.

Emperor Nicholas has given up his intention of hunting aurochs in the imperial Lithuanian preserves. His present intention is to go to the Crimea via Moscow. He will spend one day at Moscow and then go on to Sebastopol, where he will embark for layer not been recovered. will embark for have not been recovered.

## Condensed Telegrams

Turkish Troops Have Begun a move

Making Bogus Money of any nation Henry A. Orme has constructed a bi-

A Steady Downpour of Rain is The Torpedo Boat Destroyer Flussenade 31 knots an hour in a trial run. Fire in Krenentchug, Russia, has endered a thousand familles home-

Riot at Pressed Steel Car Plant-

Strikers Have Lost the Fight. Paris Has Sent an Untimatum to

Army Officers Will Probably choose leorgetown as the site for the wire-Honduras Will Send a Commission

A Horrifying Feature.

The finding late today of three more bodies of terribly beaten strike sympathizers added a horrifying feature, for troopers detailed to the work of searching for dead and wounded made little effort to spare the feelings of the men who gathered about them when the bodies, two under a pile of railroad ties and one under a culvert on the tracks of the Pittsburg and Lake Erie railroad, were pulled into sight. The corpses, hardly recognizable as those of human beings, were hastily piled into a morgue wagon and turned over to the county officials.

Hostilities Suspended. A Token Has Been Secured in the Himalsian Mountains for the Smithonian Institution.

Returning Prosperity has made dif-ficult the enlisting of men for the United States army.

The Argentine Republic will send Juleo Carrie as delegate to the Hud-son-Fulton celebration. Acting Secretary Pierce ordered are exestigation of the conditions at the

investigation of the cond Haskell Indian Institute. Menhaden Fishermen have schools of mullets miles in length off the North Carolina coust.

The United States is leading the countries of the world in an effort to find an indestructible paper.

hunter, armed with a knife, fought five lynxes in a den for three hours.

The Persian Government has dis-missed the Russian intor of the youn Persian shah and appointed a native. Five Persons Were Killed and twelve dangerously injured by an explosion at the city gas works at Geneva, Switz-

The Interior Department will not permit the Standard Oil company to reduce the price of crude petroleum in

pany plant today was in operation with over 1,000 men at work. These men, while not all skilled or finished work-Secretary Morrison will ask an in vestigation of the conditions at the Pressed Steel Car Works at McKees

car plant gates. In a measure President Frank Hofstott of the car company has made good his word given at the inception of the labor trouble that he would never give in to the strikers if he was ruined financially and his plant had to lay idle for two years. William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., was ar rested on a charge of speeding an au-tomobile through the streets of Mount Vernon, N. Y. Rev. Franklin Knight was knocked iconscious by collision with Rev. Her-

on in a baseball gaine at strike zone today. Over 150 state and unty officers patrolled the streets and The North German Lloyd Steamer George Washington, en route from Cherboug for New York, has 1,351 cab-

eleven, while two are in hospitals ex-pected to die within the next twenty-The Railroad and Express Companie have given orders for equipment amounting from \$150,000,000 to \$175.

The Transports McClellan and Sum-ner, with the 1,600 troops of the Na-tional Guard of the District of Co-

sailed from Boston for Wash-Southington, Conn., August 24.—After lying unconscious from blows indicted, it is thought, by a robber, Wil-The Japanese Minister to China has handed to the diplomatic representa-tives of the interested powers copies

# EXCURSIONISTS DROWNED

way to identity her, but I do know it was the closest call I ever had in all me experiences at sea.

The kitchen and children men and children. The Colombia was carrying the exhouse found Mr. Tolles weak from the loss of blood which had flowed from a schiler was southward bound for the festival at Montevideo while the schiesien was southward bound for Schlesien was southward bound for Bremen. The Colombia went down so quickly

turbed, but \$18 which Tolles had had in his clothes when entering the house was missing. The authorities are damaged and is leaking. It is said that the captain of the Colombia and a few of the cassengers were saved. The captain had to be

### restrained from committing suicide. WU-TING-FANG'S FAREWELL. Boston, August 24.-The loss of the Recalled Minister from China Given a Banquet at Lima, Peru.

Boston, August 24.—The loss of the missionary steamship Hirim Bingham and the death of her master, Capt. Alfred C. Waklup, were reported in a cable dispatch from Sydney, N. S. W., received by the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions today. The dispatch gave no details of the disaster, and did not state where or when it occurred. Lima, Peru. August 24.—Wu-Ting-fang, minister of China to the United States and Peru, whose recall was an-nounced recently, gave a farewell ban-quet in this city last night to the members of the diplomatic corps, the foreign consuls, the cabinet ministers, where or when it occurred.

The Hiram Bingham sailed from San Francisco on November 10, 1908, and after visiting Honolulu proceeded to the Gilbert Islands. She was last heard from on March 25, when she was at Ocean Island one of the Gilbert event. and a number of prominent residents of the capital. The affair was most successful, and cordial speeches were made by Wu-Ting-fang himself. For-

Washington. Aug. 24.—For the purpose of enabling him to complete certain work in which he is engaged, orders have been issued at the navy department continuing Rear Admiral C. S. Sperry on special duty at the naval war college at Newport after his retirement Sept. 3 on account of age. When that is finished it is expected the admiral will retire from active

Camp Perry Rife Contests.
Camp Perry Q. Ang. 24.—The third day of the contests for the national considered to the admiral will retire from active day of the contests for the national considerations of the two affiliated organizations. The business seasons of the two persons of the stump planged into boiling and the stump planged into an address of the st

## HARRIMAN STILL SEEKING HEALTH

Master Builder of Railroads Returns to the United States a Sick, Tired Man

### BEGINS THE "AFTER CURE" AT ARDEN.

ave Come Home," He Said, "for a Cure and Not for Work"- ever has there Been a More Remarkable Home-Coming of a Private Citizen-Talks Freely of Hope of Early Recovery.

New York, August 24.—Roward H. Harriman, genius of finance, leader of men and master builder of railcame back to the United States while the financial world stood its tiptoes in anxiety and expec etic treatment he underwent at the Austrian resort, Bad Gastein.

Feeble Frame, Gaunt Face, Weak Voice.

How long he will remain in sech railroad interests, depends solely upon his health. He arrived today feeble, gaunt face and voice weak. "And I bave come home," he said, "for a core

and not for work."

Many great Americans have refurned to their country's shores under extraordinary circumstances, but neve has there been a more remarkable home coming of a private citizen than E. H. Harriman's. Great stock market operators paused as his ship drew the stock market itself marke and the industrial world turns abroad has furnished much aterial for stock market rumors.

### Boarded a Tug at Hoboken.

Contrary to expectations the finan-er did not leave the Kaiser Wilhelm an the bay, but remained on board til the vessel docked at Hoboken en, after being assisted ashore, be boarded a Southern Pacific tug and was taken to Jersey City, where he was again assisted to his private car. m there the trip was quickly made the Hudson to his mountain home

Although he flashed ashore a brie essage of optimism at the reques of the Associated Press, and converse for a time with interviewers after th transferred from Hoboken to Jerse ity of mind, he talked to an audience bent position while talking, sayin that while he had taken his meals regularly all the way over just before he reached quarantine today he was attacked with nonsea, which necessitated

tacked with names, which necessitated his lying down.

Lost Ten Pounds.

Mr. Harriman discussed things trivial and pertinent, and spoke lightly of the trying ordeals which physicians had prescribed for him abroad,

"I feel entirely satisfied with my tripabroad as far as my health is concerned," he said, "and I have nothing on my mind except to come home and take the after cure." I lost ten rounds while over there and for a little fellow like me it is a great deal."

In Cheerful Mind.

Lying hacq on a pillow his pale face seeming even paler in the light of the car. Mr. Harriman's quaint humor and cheerfulness of mind was in marked contrast to his physical condition. As the talked his wife and Judge R. S. Lovett, vice president and general counsel of the Union Pacifis, stood by and gently admonished him not to overtax his strength. But Mr. Harriman waved them aside gently and continued to talk. His voice was weak and the asked from time to time if those furthest from him could hear.

We knew, but quicker than we knew. It was difficult for me to comprehend that the department and returns which followed our construction work in the west were so enormous and so rich."

"Do you mean to put the surplus earnings into the roads rather than to turn them over to the stockholers?" he was asked.

"Yes, that's about it." he said. "that a speculator. During those four years it was hard three years. I wish I could wipe them out, but I am through with that now."

Mr. Harriman would not say just what new undertakings he proposed. "But." said he, "it is in my mind to overtax his strength. But Mr. Harriman protested that he could talk without limit so long as the subject was rallroads, the judge pleaded and finally brought the talk to a close.

His Continental Medical Ordeal. "The doctors advised me to come home to rest," he said, "though they intended at first that I should rest abroad." Here he smiled and went on: "The photographing those doctors put me through was worse than upon my tiptoes in anxiety and expecHe came back as he left on
last a sick, tired man seeking,
Tonight, surrounded by his
and physicians at his magnithough uncompleted summer

The photograph was worse than upon my
me through was worse than upon my
did everything they could." Laughing
softly as he recalled his experiences
the said: "They took 16 different phofamily and physicians at his magni-ficent, though uncompleted summer he said: "They took 16 different pho-home at Arden, on the Hudson, he has tographs of my digestive organs on begun the "after cure" which he needs the skingraph. And to make the picafter the enervating baths and diet-

the plates.
"I had a great deal of fun during it all," he cald, as he concluded the narrative of his continental medical ordeal, "but I lost three pounds during the photographing process and once got a little shock. The doctors overgot a little shock. The doctors over-looked a little tack in the machino which they stood up against me. I came in contact with it. It frightened me a little, but I stuck to it."

Mrs. Harriman and Judge Lovett grew extremely solicitous as Mr. Har-riman continued to talk and once or twice it was necessary for him to reat his voice.

Railroad Matters Broached

Turning to railroad matters, one of the first questions asked of him conerned his reported option on a con-trolling interest in New York Central line of steel east and west from coast to coast.
"That is an easy one," said the financier, smiling, "but I wouldn't tell you if I had."

Here he took the lead again himself, "I expect to find more officeholders than stockholders now," said he. There are more new laws and they never seem to displace the old ones;

new laws mean new officeholders to administer them."
"Do you refer to the corporation tax;" he was saked tax?" he was asked "Yes, and some new state laws," was

Teg, and some new state laws," was the reply.

Legislation seemed to arouse his interest greatly, and, warming to his subject, he threw aside caution, rose from his pillow and sat up on the couch. "I am feeling a hit better," he said as he looked around at the circle of interviewers.

Speaking of New Undertakings. Sitting up, and smiling pileasantly, Mr. Harriman indulged in a few rem-

"Three years ago I was called a speculator," he said. "That was when Union Preific was placed on a 10 per cent, dividend basis, and Southern Pacific on a 5 per cent, dividend basis. I bad a hard time convincing my associates that the roads could pay such dividends, but I had come to realize

### No Work There for the Willing Unemplayed-A Contract to Chicago.

England, who has spent many years

among the poverty-stricken unemployed in London.
"It would be a good thing for Chicago to have part of London's poor
in the city." he said last night. "It
would also be a good thing for London. Poverty there is almost indescribable, and there is almost no
way to alleviate the sufferings of the
poor, because there is no work for way to alleviate the sufference of the poor, becausae there is no work for the willing man to do.

"In Chicago it is different; employment of one sort or another can always be obtained, either in the city or

through city employment agencies, which supply the demands of the western farmers in need of men."

Annual National Conventions in Session at Providence.

Providence, August 24.—Delegates of the Order of United American Mechanics and the Daughters of Liberty assembled here today for the annual national conventions of the two affiliated organizations. The business sessions are sufficiently assembled here today for the annual national conventions of the two affiliated organizations. The business sessions are sufficiently assembled here today for the annual national conventions of the two affiliated organizations. The business session at Providence.

Tangier, Aug. 24.—By the sultan's special order, according to reports from Fez, the prisoners captured at the defeat of El Roghl have been harbar-ously questioned them and then had them taken in procession to the gate of Babelhamis, where in the presence of the troops and populace of Fez every prisoner had his right. national conventions of the two affil-lated organizations. The business ses-sions of both were behind closed doors with the exception of an address of plich. The women had their teet

## LONDON'S TERRIBLE POVERTY. PELLAGRA SPREADS IN ALABAMA State Department of Health Begged to

Chicago, August 24.—Chicago has no worthy poor or needy class, according to Dr. H. Harris Lloyd, superintendent of the Southwest Mission in London, England, who has spent many years among the poverty-stricken unemployed in London.

"It would be a good thing for Chicago to have part of London's poor the class of the card last night, "its than one hundred cases are reported. than one hundred cases are reported. County health officers have been in-structed to isolate all cases and watch them with a view to

## RUSSIAN MANOEUVRES OPEN. Gen. Ian Hamilton of British Army

St. Petersburg. Aug. 24 .- The summer mangeuvres of the Russian army were started yesterday. Grand Duke Nicholas is in command. The emperor is present and has as his guest Gen. is present and has as his guest Gen.
Ian Hamilton of the British army.
The Biue army, composed of the
guard corps and commanded by General Daniloff, is defending the capital
against the Red army, commanded by
General Nikitin, which is advancing
after successful landing operations at
two points on the Baltic coast.

### Lord Eliot Found Dead from Gunshot Wounds.